

Table 8-12
Share of public high school students scoring 3 or higher on at least one Advanced Placement Exam, by state: 2000 and 2004
(Percent)

State	2000	2004
National average.....	10.2	13.2
Alabama.....	3.9	5.0
Alaska.....	10.1	10.8
Arizona.....	7.2	8.0
Arkansas.....	4.3	6.1
California.....	15.0	18.7
Colorado.....	12.2	16.2
Connecticut.....	13.6	17.6
Delaware.....	7.6	11.1
District of Columbia.....	6.6	8.2
Florida.....	13.5	19.2
Georgia.....	9.7	12.0
Hawaii.....	5.8	7.7
Idaho.....	6.5	8.1
Illinois.....	9.9	13.3
Indiana.....	6.0	7.7
Iowa.....	4.9	6.6
Kansas.....	4.4	6.3
Kentucky.....	5.5	7.7
Louisiana.....	1.9	2.5
Maine.....	10.1	12.8
Maryland.....	14.1	19.4
Massachusetts.....	14.5	18.1
Michigan.....	8.8	10.9
Minnesota.....	8.1	10.6
Mississippi.....	2.3	2.9
Missouri.....	3.7	5.3
Montana.....	6.8	8.8
Nebraska.....	3.2	4.0
Nevada.....	9.1	12.4
New Hampshire.....	9.2	10.9
New Jersey.....	12.9	15.5
New Mexico.....	6.1	8.1
New York.....	17.9	21.2
North Carolina.....	11.3	15.8
North Dakota.....	4.4	5.7
Ohio.....	7.1	9.4
Oklahoma.....	5.4	8.3
Oregon.....	7.1	8.8
Pennsylvania.....	8.3	10.1
Rhode Island.....	6.9	7.8
South Carolina.....	10.0	11.2
South Dakota.....	5.9	8.3
Tennessee.....	6.2	7.9
Texas.....	9.9	13.1
Utah.....	17.4	19.3
Vermont.....	11.5	14.0
Virginia.....	15.9	17.7
Washington.....	7.6	11.6
West Virginia.....	4.6	6.4
Wisconsin.....	10.5	13.7
Wyoming.....	3.8	6.7

NOTE: National average is reported value in *Advanced Placement Report to the Nation: 2005*.

SOURCE: College Board, *Advanced Placement Report to the Nation: 2005*.